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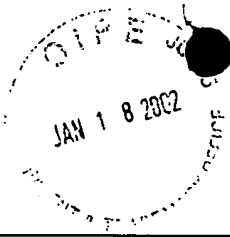
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ATTENTION: BOX MISSING PARTS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(f), which was mailed by the Office on November 7, 2001, enclosed are:

- (X) An executed Declaration by Inventors.
- (X) A Power of Attorney Form and Copy of Assignment.
- (X) The present applicant qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- (X) A Notice to File Missing Parts.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.
- (X) Fees as calculated below:



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FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
Basic Fee			\$740	\$740
Total Claims	61 - 20 =	41 ×	\$18	\$738
Independent Claims	6 - 3 =	3 ×	\$84	\$252
If application contains any multiple dependent claims(s), then add			\$140	\$ 0
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME			0 months	\$ 0
SURCHARGE 37 CFR 1.16(e)				\$ 130
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS				\$ 1,860
REDUCTION BY 1/2 FOR FILING BY SMALL ENTITY.				
Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28. If applicable, verified statement must be attached. \$ - 930				
TOTAL FEES SUBMITTED HERewith				\$ 930

- (X) A check in the amount of \$930 to cover the above fees is enclosed.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, now or in the future, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$495.
  - \$369 for 41 total claims over 20.
  - \$126 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 930.

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